

By POYNEER.]

[SENATE FILE No. 80.—SUP. OF INTEMP.

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1551 OF CHAPTER 6, TITLE XI OF THE CODE,
RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL
PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF SAID CHAPTER
AND THE AMENDMENTS THERETO.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 1551 of the Code be and the same is hereby repealed, and the
2 following enacted in lieu thereof:

3 Section 1551. All peace officers shall see that the provisions of this chapter are faith-
4 fully executed, and when informed that the law has been violated, or when they have
5 reason to believe that the law has been violated, and that proof of the fact can be had,
6 such officers shall go before a proper officer and make information of the same and of
7 the person so violating the law. Upon the filing of such information before the said
8 proper officer he shall institute a suit and proceed to the arrest and trial thereof accord-
9 ing to law. Upon the hearing or trial of all such suits, it shall be the duty of the
10 district attorney to appear for the State, unless the person filing such information shall
11 select some other attorney, and there shall be taxed as costs in said suit, as the compen-
12 sation of such attorney, the following to-wit: Upon each judgment, upon trial and
13 conviction, the sum of ten dollars, and upon each judgment upon plea of guilty five
14 dollars. Any peace officer failing to comply with the provisions of this section shall be
15 guilty of a misdemeanor and pay a fine of not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars,
16 and a conviction shall work a forfeiture of his office. Every peace officer shall give
17 evidence when called upon of any facts within his knowledge tending to prove a viola-
18 tion of the provisions of this chapter, but his evidence shall in no case be used against
19 him in any prosecutions against him for a violation of the provisions of this chapter.